At a Surrogate's Court held in and for the County of Westchester, at 140 Grand Street, 8th Floor, White Plains, New York on the day of _______, 2007

PRESENT: HON. ANTHONY A. SCARPINO, JR.

Surrogate

In the Matter of the Proceeding by JOHN W. STEIGLER, as Executor of the Estate of

VALERIE VECCHIOTTI,

FILE NO. 2499/2005 ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

Deceased,

To direct a turnover of property held by Avon Products, Inc. under SCPA 2103.

Upon reading and filing the Petition of John W. Steigler, as Executor of the Estate of Vocchieff

Valerie Vo

NOW, it is

counsel can be heard, why an Order should not be made requiring Avon Products, Inc. to deliver the property herein before described or the proceeds or value thereof to the petitioner; and it is further

ORDERED, that pending the hearing and determination of this application that all assets in the name of Valerie Vecchiotti, including but not limited to a Personal Savings Account are hereby stayed from distribution, liquidation, transferring, conveying or withdrawing.

SUFFICIENT REASON APPEARING THEREFOR, let service of a certified copy of And the Reform upon which it is based this Order by feesimile and first along mail be made on or before the 29 th day of

, 2007 upon AVON PRODUCTS, INC. and FRANK GRANIERI be sufficient and good service hereof.

Surrogate Surrogate

FORM 110-8-94

STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER 33: SURROGATE'S OFFICE

I, JOHN W. KELLY, Chief Clerk of the Surrogate's Court of the County of Westchester, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE;

Re: The Estate of VALERIE VECCHIOTIT, DECEASED.

SIGNED:

JANUARY 25, 2007

with the original thereof now remaining in this office and have found the same to be a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole of such original.

Dated and Soaled <u>IANUARY 25, 2007</u>

CHIEF CLERK of the SURROGATE'S COURT

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SURROGATE'S COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW	YORK
COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER	· VIGE

In the Matter of the Proceeding by JOHN W. STEIGLER, As Executor of the Last Will and Testament of VALERIE VECCHIOTTI.

PETITION FILE NO. 2499/2005

Deceased,

To direct a turnover of property held by Avon Products,	
Inc., under SCPA 2103.	
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TO THE SURROGATE'S COURT OF THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER:

The petition of JOHN W. STEIGLER with offices at Sweeney, Gallo, Reich & Bolz, LLP, 95-25 Queens Boulevard, Rego Park, County of Queens, State of New York, respectfully shows:

- 1. Letters Testamentary of the Last Will of Valerie Vecchiotti, the decedent abovenamed, were duly issued to JOHN W. STEIGLER by the Surrogate's Court of the County of Westchester on November 28, 2005 and JOHN W. STEIGLER thereupon duly qualified and thereafter acted and is still acting as such executor.
- The decedent at her death was domiciled and resided at No.1 Wall Avenue, Mt.
 Pleasant, in the County of Westchester and State of New York and died on July 30, 2005.
- 3. Certain money or other property or the proceeds or value thereof belonging to your petitioner, to wit, a Personal Savings Account, is now in possession of AVON PRODUCTS, INC., who withholds possession thereof from Petitioner, and said account should be delivered to Petitioner.
- 4. On or about January 3, 2006 AVON PRODUCTS, INC. advised the petitioner that the Personal Savings Account with an approximate balance of \$94,433.75 which did not have a

specific beneficiary designated, would only be paid said to the spouse of the decedent. At the time of her death Valerie Vecchiotti was legally separated from Frank Granieri who resides at 84 Combe Avenue, Toronto, Ontario. On the 30th day of November 1996 the decedent and Frank Granieri entered into a Separation Agreement which specifically provided among other things that:

"Neither the husband nor the wife will make a claim to a share in any pension vested or unvested or whatsoever nature including but not limited to any registered retirement savings plan, deferred profit sharing plan, company pension plan or annuity registered in or for the benefit of the other."

Despite the clear waiver of the spouse, Avone Products, Inc. refuses to pay the aforesaid funds to the Estate of VALERIE VECCHIOTTI

5. The names and post office addresses of all persons interested in the estate of VALERIE VECCHIOTTI, deceased or in the Personal Savings Account, whose rights or interests would be affected by a decree herein, who are required to be cited upon this application or concerning whom the court is required to have information, are:

AVON PRODUCTS, INC.
1345 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York
Attention: Gilbert Klemann, General Counsel

FRANK GRANIERI 84 Combe Avenue Toronto, ON M3H 4J7

6. There are no other persons than those mentioned interested in the application or proceeding.

WHEREFORE, petitioner requests that AVON PRODUCTS, INC. and FRANK
GRANIERI be cited to show cause why an order should not be made requiring AVON
PRODUCTS, INC., to deliver the property hereinbefore described or the proceeds or value thereof to your petitioner.

Dated: Rego Park, New York January 24, 2007

JOHN W. STEIGLER

SURROGATE'S COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

2499/2005

In the Matter of the Proceeding by JOHN W. STEIGLER, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of

VALERIE VECCHIOTTI, Deceased.

To direct a turnover of property held by Avon Products, Inc. under SCPA 2103

PETITION ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

SWEENEY, GALLO, REICH & BOLZ LLP Office and Post Office Address, Telephone 95-25 Queens Boulevard - Suite 626 Rego Park, New York 11374 (718) 459-9000

Attorney(s) for

JOHN W/STEIGLER, ESQ..
Attorney Cartification pursuant to Court Rule § 130-1.1-a

Service of a copy of the within

is hereby admitted.

Dated.

Attorneys for

Sir:-Please take notice

□ NOTICE OF ENTRY

that the within is a (certified) true copy of an order duly entered in the office of the clerk of the within named court on

□ NOTICE OF SETTLEMENT

that an order of which the within is a true copy will be presented for settlement to the Hon. Anthony A. Scarpino Jr., one of the judges of the within named court, at 140 Grand Street, 8th Floor, White Plains, New York on at 9:30 A. M.

Dated, Queens, New York

Yours, etc.

JOHN W. STEIGLER, ESQ. Office and Post Office Address
Sweeney, Gallo, Reich & Bolz LLP
95-25 Queens Boulevard -Suite 626
Rego Park, N.Y. 11374
(718) 459-9000

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

I, VALERIE VECCHIOTTI, of the County of Westchester, and State of New York, being of sound mind and memory, do hereby make, publish and declare this to be my Last Will and Testament.

FIRST: I hereby revoke all other wills and codicils made by me at any time heretofore.

other inheritance, estate, transfer, succession, death or similar duties and taxes, whether levied, based or imposed upon or measured by property that passes by my Will, or levied, based or imposed upon or measured by any other property, shall be paid out of my residuary estate and shall not be equitably prorated or charged against the dispositions provided by my Will or against other property.

THIRD: I give, devise and bequeath the sum of \$20,000 to FRANK GRANIERI. In the event that FRANK GRANIERI shall predecease me, the aforesaid bequest shall go into my residuary estate.

FOURTH: I give, devise and bequeath all of the rest, remainder and residue of my estate to my Trustee, hereinafter named IN TRUST for the following uses and purposes:

(A) To hold, manage, invest and reinvest the said property, to collect and receive the income therefrom and pay the net income in convenient installments as determined in the sole and absolute discretion of my Trustee to my sister, FLO-ANN ROLLERI, during her lifetime.

- (B) Upon the death of my said sister, FLO-ANN ROLLERI, or upon my death, should my sister not survive me, my Trustee or Executor shall pay over and distribute the principal of the said Trust, together with any accrued income, or my residuary estate, as the case may be, to my nieces, KIMBERLY SALVATORE and KARA BERGHAUS, in equal shares, per stirpes.
- (C) If in any calendar year or portion of a calendar year, the said income is not paid for any valid reason according to this Will, my Trustee shall accumulate the said unpaid income for that calendar year or portion thereof, and add it to the principal of the said Trust.
- (D) In addition to the net income, the Trustee is authorized in her sole and absolute discretion, at any time and from time to time, to pay or apply from the principal of the Trust such amounts as she may deem advisable to provide adequately and properly for the health, maintenance, education, and support of my sister, FLO-ANN ROLLERI.
- (E) The determination of my Trustee as to the amount or advisability of any discretionary payment of income or principal from this Trust herein shall be final and conclusive on all persons having or claiming any interest in such Trust. Upon making any such payment, my Trustee shall be released fully from all further liability therefor.

beneficiary under this trust is hereby restrained from and are and shall be without right, power, and authority to sell, transfer,

pledge, mortgage, hypothecate, alienate, anticipate, or in any other manner affect or impair his or her or their beneficial and legal rights, titles, interests, claims, and estates in and to the income and/or principal of this trust during the entire term hereof, nor shall the rights, titles, interests, and estates of any beneficiary hereunder be subject to the rights or claims of creditors of any beneficiary, nor subject nor liable to any process of law or court, and all of the income and/or principal under this trust shall be transferable, payable, and deliverable only, solely, exclusively, and personally to the above designated beneficiaries hereunder at the time entitled to take the same under the terms of this trust, and personal receipt of the designated beneficiary hereunder shall be a condition precedent to the payment or delivery of the same by said trustee to each such beneficiary.

SIXTH: It is my wish and desire that my house at 1 Wall Avenue, Valhalla, New York not be sold to the extent practicable within my Trustee's discretion. However, my Trustee shall have complete control to sell the property at any time.

SEVENTH: Without limitation of the powers which are now or may hereafter be conferred by law upon executors, guardians or trustees, the aforementioned person shall have the following powers:

Section 1 - To accept additions to any estate or trust from sources other than the estate or trust.

Section 2 - To acquire the remaining undivided



interest in the property of an estate or trust in which the fiduciary, in his fiduciary capacity, holds an undivided interest.

Section 3 - To invest and reinvest property of the estate or trust under the provisions of the will, deed or other instrument or as otherwise provided by law.

Section 4 - To effect and keep in force fire, rent, title, liability, casualty or other insurance to protect the property of the estate or trust and to protect the fiduciary.

<u>Section 5</u> - Except in the case of property specifically disposed of:

- (a). To take possession of, collect the rents from and manage the same.
- (b). To sell the same at public or private sale, and on such terms as in the opinion of the fiduciary will be most advantageous to those interest therein.
- (c). With respect to fiduciaries other than a trustee, to lease the same for a term not exceeding three years and, in the case of a trustee, to lease the same for a term not exceeding ten years.
 - (d). To mortgage the same.

<u>Section 6</u> - To take ordinary repairs to the property of the estate or trust.

Section 7 - To grant options for the sale of property for a period not exceeding six months.

Section 8 - To continue or foreclose upon any mortgage held in the estate or trust.

<u>Section 9</u> - To employ banks, trust companies or broker/dealers for custodial services.

Section 10 - To permit banks, trust companies or broker/dealers to register property in the name of a nominee.

Section 11 - As survivor fiduciary, to continue to administer the property of the estate or trust without the appointment of a successor, unless contrary to the express provision of the will, deed or other instrument.

Section 12 - As successor or substitute fiduciary to succeed to all of the powers of the original fiduciary, with respect to the estate or trust, as were given to the original fiduciary, unless expressly prohibited by the will, deed or other instrument.

Section 13 - To contest, compromise or otherwise settle any claim on behalf of the estate or trust.

Section 14 - To vote securities in person or by proxy.

Section 15 - To pay calls, assessments and any other sums chargeable or accruing against or on account of securities held by a fiduciary, whenever such payments may be legally enforceable or the fiduciary deems payment for the best interest of the estate or trust.

Section 16 - To sell or exercise stock subscription or conversion rights, participate in foreclosures, reorganizations, consolidations, mergers or liquidations, and to consent to corporate sales, leases and encumbrances.

Section 17 - To execute and deliver agreements, assignments, bills of sale, contracts, deeds, notes, receipts and any other instrument necessary or appropriate for the administration of the estate or trust.

Section 18 - In the case of a trustee, to hold the property of two or more trusts or parts of such trusts created by the same instrument as an undivided whole without separation as between such trusts or parts, provided that such separate trusts or parts shall have undivided interest and provided further than no such holding shall defer the vesting of any estate in possession or otherwise.

Section 19 - To distribute in case, in kind, or partly in each, any property at its fair market value at the date of distribution, without being required to distribute any specific property pro rata.

Section 20 - To join with the surviving spouse or the fiduciary of his estate in the execution and filing of a joint income or gift tax return, to consent to gift-splitting, and to pay such taxes thereon as are chargeable to the decedent.

Section 21 - To pay all reasonable and proper expense of administration from the property of the estate or trust, including the reasonable expense of obtaining and continuing the fiduciary's bond and any reasonable counsel fees he may necessarily incur.

Section 22 - To loan property with or without interest.

Section 23 - To combine identical trusts.

Section 24 - To split trusts.

Section 25 - To permit one fiduciary to execute documents on behalf of his co-fiduciaries.

Section 26 - To invest oil, gas and mineral interests.

Section 27 - To make public offerings.

Section 28 - To continue a decedent's business.

Section 29 - To borrow money (including to margin).

Section 30 - To abandon property.

Section 31 - To abstain from enforcing any claim.

Section 32 - To remove property from New York.

Section 33 - To execute a renunciation.

Section 34 - To delegate ministerial duties and, to the extent permitted by law, to delegate investment decisions.

Section 35 - To allocate receipts and expenses between income and principal.

Section 36 - To make or not to make principal and income adjustments to compensate for the effect of certain tax elections.

Section 37 - Not to apportion accrued but uncollected income.

Section 38 - To permit horizontal representation of individuals under a disability.

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Section 39 - To make or not to make a Qualified Terminal Interest Property Tax, Generation Skipping Tax or other tax election.

Section 40 - Not to pay interest on general bequests.

as I, or in a common disaster with me or under such circumstances that it is difficult or impossible to determine which died first, shall be deemed to have predeceased me.

NINTH: (A). I appoint JOHN W. STEIGLER as my Executor.

(B). I appoint my niece, KIMBERLY SALVATORE, as my Trustee.

or Trustee named herein or appointed pursuant to the provisions hereof for any reason, including to secure either the faithful performance of such Executor and/or Trustee in any fiduciary capacity hereunder or the return of any payment on account of commissions in any such capacity.

herein shall, directly or indirectly, under any pretense or for any cause or reason whatever, oppose the probate of my Last Will and Testament or institute, abet, take or share, directly or indirectly, in any action or proceeding against my estate to impeach, impair, set aside or invalidate any of the provisions of my Last Will and Testament, or make any agreement, direct or

indirect, in connection with any of the foregoing, with any person instituting, abetting, taking or sharing in such action directly or indirectly, I do hereby revoke any and all dispositions, devises, bequests, trusts or other provisions to or for the benefit of any such person, and I direct that any such devises, bequests, trusts or other provisions, to or for the benefit of any such person, shall become part of my residuary estate, except that if such person shall be entitled to share in my residuary estate, then the share of such person shall be disposed of as if such person had predeceased me without leaving issue surviving me.

this as my Last Will and Testament in the presence of the persons witnessing it at my request this 28 day of Taly, 2005.

VALERIE VECCHIOTTI

VECCHIOTTI, the Testatrix above-named, to be her Last Will and Testament in our presence and we, at her request, in her presence and in the presence of each other, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses this 26 day of _______, 2005.

James Jennison residing at 5 WACE AVE VACHALCA, 1/9/0595

Theodore J. Lelly residing at 2 WALL AVE. VALHALLA, N.Y. 10595

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AFFIDAVIT OF ATTESTING WITNESSES

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF QUEENS) ss.:

Each of the undersigned, individually and severally being duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the within Will was subscribed in our presence and sight and signed at the end thereof by VALERIE VECCHIOTTI, the within named Testatrix on the 28 day of July , 2005, at Phelps Memorial Haspital ...

Said Testatrix, at the time of making such subscription, declared the instrument so subscribed to be her Last Will.

Each of the undersigned thereupon signed their names as a witness at the end of said Will at the request of said Testatrix and in her presence and sight and in the presence and sight of each other.

Said Testatrix was, at the time of so executing said Will, over the age of 18 years and, in the respective opinions of the undersigned, of sound mind, memory and understanding and not under any restraint or in any respect incompetent to make a Will.

The Testatrix, in the respective opinions of the undersigned, could read, write and converse in the English language and was suffering from no defect of sight, hearing or speech, or from any other physical or mental impairment which would affect her capacity to make a valid Will. The Will was executed as a single, original instrument and was not executed in counterparts.

Each of the undersigned was acquainted with said Testatrix at such time and makes this affidavit at her request.

The within Will was shown to the undersigned at the time this affidavit was made, and was examined by each of us as to the signature of said Testatrix and of the undersigned.

The foregoing instrument was executed by the Testatrix and witnessed by each of the undersigned affiants under the supervision of JOHN W. STEIGLER, ESQ., an attorney at law.

Sworn to before me this

28 day of July, 2005.

JOHN W. STEIGLER
Notary Public State of New York
No. 02ST4963669
Qualified in Westchester County
Commission Expires Merch 12, 200

New York State Surrogate's Court New York State Bar Association Official O	CA Forms	Form P-5 Probate Citation
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A petition having been duly filed by John W. who is/are domiciled at 1307 Franklin Avenue	Steigler Mamaroneck, New York 1	0543, United States
YOU ARE HEREBY CITED TO SHOW CAU at 140 Grand Street, White Plains at 930 o'clock in the 1000 no Valerie Vecchiotti	, New York, o	Court, Westchester County, on Westchester 6, 5, 5, ree should not be made in the estate of lately domiciled at
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Letters of Administration c.t.a. issue to		
☐ Further relief sought (if any):		
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Manton Sweeney Gallo Reich & Bolz, LLP	(718) 896-20	347

NOTE: This citation is served upon you as required by law. You are not required to appear. If you fall to appear it will be assumed you do not object to the relief requested. You have a right to have an attorney appear for you.

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95-25 Queens Boulevard, Rego Park, New York 11374

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